

Semi-Weekly Bourbon News.

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VOL. II. PARIS, BOURBON COUNTY, KENTUCKY: TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1883. No. 189.

TURKEYS are selling at 10 cents per pound on foot, in this city.

BLACK skunk skins are selling at \$1, and the spotted ones 25c, in this market.

POLK FORTYTH sold Saturday, thirty shares of Deposit Bank stock, at \$90 and \$91.

DAUM & ARGO, the dude barbers, are giving the ladies the Langtry bangs out of hair.

JAMES WINSTON, colored got 21 years for killing another colored man at Williams-town.

FARMERS who are lucky enough to have not sold their hogs, are enjoying the little boom hugely.

CHAS. H. VOORHEES, of Indiana, is general superintendent of the Kentucky Union Railroad.

THE city school of Mt. Olivet adjourned last week, on account of a colored wedding in town.

WM. PERKINS, a painter, is under arrest at Richmond, for stealing a watch and diamond pin.

THE Mt. Olivet Democrat quotes butter 15 cents, rabbits 3, and quails 7½ cents each in that market.

HUNGRY tramps are robbing the school children of Louisville of their lunch baskets as they go to school in the morning.

JOSEPH MCCONATHY, a farmer worth \$40,000, is under arrest at Nicholasville, for stealing a hog from a colored individual.

MR. ELLIOT of colors says: "When I works by de job I don't fool about; but when I works by de day, I strings de time out."

THE Daily Sentinel-Democrat of Mt. Sterling, has made its appearance. May it have many merry Christmases and happy New Years.

A SNOW storm struck Canada Friday night and fell fifteen inches deep, and arrived here Sunday and fell to the depth of about three inches.

TOM CURTIS, of Trigg county, collided with a freight train near Kelly's Station, in that county, and was killed. He was slightly intoxicated.

In a fight between inmates of the Bracken county jail, Nick Ferguson, a colored prisoner, broke the arm of an insane man named Davis.

REV. J. M. EVANS, of this city, has had over 100 confessions and 75 additions to the Presbyterian church at Pleasant Grove, Washington county.

FIVE Democratic bondsmen are holding a mail sack at Bardonia, to the tune of \$80, and a decapitated postmaster is eking out a scanty subsistence at Louisville.

BURGARS struck Mayville, Friday night, and entered the stores of Geo. T. Wood and Thos. Lowry and blew open their safes, and obtained small amounts of money.

ELDER HARDING, of the Christian church, and Rev. Morris Evans, of the Methodist church, are debating at Berea, Henry county, on baptism, mode, action and design.

At the examining trial of Rachael Murphy, Saturday, on a charge of infanticide, the prisoner was remanded to jail without bail, to await the action of Circuit Court.

If you want to enjoy a hearty laugh and have a good time, go to hear Bob Burdette, on the "Pilgrimage of the Funny Man," at the Court-house, to-morrow night, at 8 o'clock.

A HAPPY solution of the Lexington, Ky., asylum row would be to confine the commissioners and officers in the wards and let the other lunatics run the concern.—[News Journal.]

COL. CALDWELL sold his property nearly opposite Odd Fellows' Hall, Saturday, to James K. Ford, for \$2,800, cash, which yielded the Col. a very handsome profit, and yet sold cheap.

GOVERNOR KNOTT pardoned two convicts last Wednesday. Thos. Lewis, of Newport, and George McKenzie, from Johnson county, who had served but three months of a three year term.

LAST week we drew on a citizen of Lexington through the banks, and the draft was returned with the following explanation on the back: "Can't find him; the grand jury is in session."

O'DONNELL, the slayer of Cary, promptly swung off at the appointed time, confessed that he was a member of the invincibles, and that he would not betray a friend for all the gold in England.

THURSDAY night the tobacco barn of Wm. Hawkins, three miles from Lexington, on the Leestown pike, was burned, with its contents, the year's crop. The loss is about covered by insurance of \$1,500.

THERE ought to be a law enacted to prohibit tobacco bragging in Paris. Our citizens are glad to hear that every man has "the best crop in the State," but then they do not want to be told to death of it.

MAYOR JOHNSON, of Lexington, has signed a contract with the Holly Waterworks Company of New York, and the old town will soon be supplied with plenty to drink. Now what will the newspapers want next?

THE Board of Managers of the Lexington Asylum ought to be ousted and a new set appointed. No set of men like those should be permitted to bull-doze the state on account of a hired servant being turned off.

GARRET LAMM, colored, killed an eagle on the Glitter place, Saturday, which measured seven feet from tip to tip of wings. He punched it out of a tree with an old long single-barreled shot gun which was once the property of Garret Davis, Sr.

FRANK JONES, a Pennsylvania printer, whom Mayor Morey hired to run his paper at Cynthiana during his honeymoon, bought as he could on a credit, collected a few accounts and skipped the town, leaving the boarding house keeper in the lurch. The Democrat calls him a Randall man.

THE K. C. road will sell excursion tickets at extremely low rates from all stations, commencing December 22, and will be good to return January 21.

A. M. MCCLINTOCK & SON sold Friday four Jersey heifer-calves to Rev. Neely, Shelbyville, for \$900, and Saturday, three head to S. J. Taylor, Paris, Tenn., for \$225 each.

THE Ladies of the Christian Church at Millersburg, are going to pay their church out of debt this year. On Thursday night they will give a public entertainment, and on Saturday they will have a cake sale, including turkeys, hams, &c. Everybody should encourage them.

LECTURE—On Wednesday, January 16th 1884, Rev. Father Barry will again lecture at the court-house. Subject: "The Sun Light and Heat." During the course of the lecture Father Barry will explain by a diagram, the means by which Koerner, the Danish astronomer, discovered that light moves 185,000 miles in a second.

CAPT. THOMAS had a stray pig on the premises some weeks. One morning it was gone. He found a colored man had it, and asked him how he came to take it? He said: "Dah was a man rode long de road, an' he holloed to me, an' I didn't 'zackly understand what he said, but I took de pig under dem circumstances."

THERE was a large-sized smash-up on the Kentucky Central near Falmouth, Sunday. A freight train became parted, and in coming together again three cars loaded with stock were completely wrecked and most of the stock killed. The accident delayed trains for a couple of hours, but the track was cleared Sunday night.

THE City Council ought by all means to open a street through the Alexander lot by the depot, and have good pavements erected on each side of it. Everybody who walks to the depot, goes that short-cut route, muddy or dry weather, to save walking a hundred yards extra. Strangers curse the town daily, in consequence of the muddy route.

THE Rev. B. F. Sedwick, who was sent from the Jessamine Circuit to that of Concord, Lewis county, by the recent Conference at Cynthiana, has filled his mission for three months and deserted his charge, giving it up to be filled by the bishop, who is asked to send a younger man—one who is able to ride one hundred miles per week to fill the Circuit appointments. In a long card published in the Cynthiana Democrat, Mr. Sedwick portrays his troubles, and claims that he was imposed, on and signifies his willingness to work in a new field—one more adapted to his age and health.

JOEL T. HART.

A Courier-Journal correspondent traveling through Bourbon, says: "I stood upon the spot yesterday where Joel T. Hart, America's greatest sculptor, passed his school days. There was pointed out a stone wall that he had built in his days of poverty and struggling. In the sleepy hollow village of Flat Rock I saw a stone chimney he had built. There is not another chimney in all Kentucky of such perfect symmetry. Built over a half century ago, it stands there a monument of Hart's budding genius."

REV. Mr. Henley's Sermon.

REV. J. W. HENLEY, of Cincinnati, preached at the Court-house Sunday afternoon, to a fair audience. His sermon was rather a disappointment to most of the congregation, as a thorough doctrinal sermon on Universalism was expected, whereby the cocoanut of the doctrine would be broken and the milk extracted, backed by reason, logic and scientific proof. The speaker appeared to occupy a medium ground between science and theology—sailing uncertainly along with one foot on theology and the other on a chunk of science, vainly attempting to balance and harmonize the two elements floating in a chaotic state, and failed to do it in a satisfactory manner to us doubting Thomases who have embraced Universalism from a scientific standpoint. He, in other words, was a scientist ashamed to grasp the bull by the horns and bravely fight the battle of the scientist, and an evolutionist who was afraid to evolve, and a theologian who couldn't take the bitter dose that flows from the theological fount of blessings and endless punishment.

There were several of us Universalists (in belief only) present who wanted to know exactly why we were Universalists, and failed from the sermon to find a succor for the constant yearning in our souls, and went sadly away disappointed.

MATRIMONIAL.

Bob Blaine is soon to wed a society belle at Mayville.

Lieut.-Gov. J. R. Hindman has gone to Dallas, Texas, to marry a widow, Mrs. Fannie B. Roney.

Pat Hunt and Miss Bobbie Porter, of this city, ran away to Aberdeen, Saturday, and got married.

Henry Ammerman and Miss Lida Cosby, daughter of Joseph Cosby, were married near Cynthiana, last week.

Hon. Isaac P. Caldwell was married at Louisville several days ago to Miss Jane Robertson Jacob, a daughter of Mayor Jacob, of the Falls City.

Seymour, Indiana, has a romance in the marriage of a couple after a broken engagement of thirty-five years. The man meanwhile marrying twice, being a double widower, and the woman being a widow one time. Her first husband had buried only six wives.

DEATHS.

Wm. Adams, formerly of Little Rock, Ark., this county, died last week in Texas.

Miss Mary Mateer, died at the residence of her mother, near Huthson, on Sunday night, of consumption. Burial this afternoon, at Mt. Sterling.

Mary C. Greene, of Louisville, recently died, leaving Corinthian Lodge of Odd Fellows \$10,000, and the widows and orphans fund of Kentucky \$80,000.

Mrs. Sarah Belle Waller, wife of Hon. Henry Waller, of Chicago, Ill., died suddenly of apoplexy Thursday night at 830. Mrs. Waller was a native of Mayville, Ky. She was a sister of Mrs. Judith F. Marshall of Louisville, Ky.

SCINTILLATIONS.

—Judge William Lindsey and bride have gone to Cuba.

—Several parties from Millersburg, are coming up to hear Burdette.

—Claude Paxton was in town yesterday. His chin still runs like it was hired out for life.

—Rev. J. C. Helden, of Charlottesville, Va., has accepted a call to become the pastor of the First Baptist church, in Lexington.

—Mrs. Duke Bates, of Fair, entertained her sisters, Mrs. R. C. Wheeler and Mrs. Robt. K. West, of Cincinnati, during the past week.

—A lady inmate of the Insane Asylum at Lexington, constantly gives vent to the pathetic wall: "I loved the ferns, but they have gone from me."

—The biggest lie told recently was got off by a Radcliff editor who said: "The President's message is an able State paper, and will be read with much interest by all."

—About twenty members of the Kentucky Legislature have engaged board in Lexington for the winter. They will come up from Frankfort every night and return next morning.

—Stand up and parse: Woman is a particular noun, double number, lively gender, lovely person, beautiful voice, handsome mood, perfect form and agrees to nothing but a church picnic or a new dress.

—Gen. Washington never swore but once during the eight years of the revolutionary war. That time he made it count, by cursing a rout into a charge, thereby saving his army and gaining a victory.

—A Philadelphia lady, married on Thanksgiving Day, received among her presents a lace-pin of yellow gold in the design of a roasted turkey on a little golden platter, surrounded by rubies for cranberry sauce.

—General James Longstreet says that it is not his emotion which causes him to break down when he tries to make a speech, but a bullet which is lodged in his throat, and which was added to him in the Wilderness.

—Rev. Dr. Rutherford and wife will leave to-day for Danville, where they will join a party of tourists for Europe. They will sail from New York, on the 26th inst. They have the earnest wishes of a host of friends for a happy voyage.

—In a recent sermon Rev. Mr. Deems, of New York, denounced the purely American habit of kissing, stating that "while it is bad enough for adults to kiss, it is criminal for a lot of dirty-mouthed people to kiss an innocent baby."

WHEN a man takes a notion to treat himself to a Christmas gift, he generally buys something for his stomach or person—something that will do him some good. J. W. Davis & Co., will sell to all such men, overcoats at the very lowest manufacturer's prices, and will give a nice box of cigars as a Christmas gift with every overcoat or suit of clothes.

AN eagle measuring 7 feet 8 inches, was shot through the neck and killed with a pistol, in Madison county, last week.

The Trader, Turfman, Farmer and Sportsman.

James C. Hamilton, of Bath county, is preparing to build twenty tobacco barns, and will raise 200 acres of tobacco.

Thos. Parrish, near Midway, raised 35,000 pounds of tobacco on 35 acres, and sold it at an average of 13, aggregating \$4,550.

L. R. Huffman, of Centerville precinct, shipped yesterday, five Poland China pigs to Stettin, Denmark, via Hamburg, Germany.

Henry Mock, colored, will train for T. J. Megibben, Cynthiana, next year, and will take charge of the horses on the first of January.

H. H. Keeler, Lexington, has purchased of S. M. Poyntz, Mayville, the brown mare, Lexington record 2:23½, by Hamlet, dam by Clark Chief, for \$2,000.

A bill posted in Lumpkin County, Ga., offers for sale a "one-eyed mule with three white feet, and to the best of my recollection two of them one side."

C. D. Armstrong sold last week three fat steers averaging 1,907 pounds in weight, at \$8.25 per hundred. Chas. Marshall sold six head for \$8.00.—[Flemington Times.]

"Budge" Hukill, of this city, has engaged his services to W. H. Kerr, of North Middletown, and will take charge of his stable of trotters on January 1st. "Budge" is an industrious young horseman, and will do him the promise, and will do it well.

Major J. M. Taylor, of Lexington, goes to Grand Junction, Tenn., next Thursday to pit his English setter bitch "Lily" in three days' field trial against the setter dog "Grouseade," belonging to W. A. Buckingham, of Norwich, Conn. The trial is for a purse of \$1,000, the largest ever before contended for in the world.

Col. Bob Stoner, of Strathmore Stock Farm this county, made the following sales of thoroughbred trotters Saturday, to Jesse Knight, Auditor of Wyoming, and Clerk of the 3d District Court, at prices fully in accordance with the stock—first-class:

1—Veline, two-year-old bay filly, by Strathmore, dam by Mambrino Patchen.

2—Roscoe, two-year-old stallion, by Strathmore, dam by Mambrino LeGrand.

3—Annie Kirksey, yearling filly, by Strathmore, dam by Mambrino LeGrand.

4—Ollie, yearling bay filly, by Strathmore, dam by Norman Jr., granddam by Alexander's Abdallah.

5—Wandering Chestnut filly, by Strathmore, dam by Cripple, son of Mambrino Chief.

6—Chestnut colt, by Tom Hall, the sire of Little Brown Jug, 2:11½, dam by Woodburn Pilot, 2d dam by Peck's Idol.

7—Wyoming Chief, bay weanling, by Mambrino Russell; dam by Strathmore.

W. H. Wilson, of Cynthiana, was here Saturday, and bought out Mr. Kelley's lease on the Bourbon Fair Grounds, and will at once establish a branch of Abdallah Park here, leaving Mr. Kelley in charge of same. It is the design of Mr. Wilson to conduct a series of semi-annual horse sales here, the first being already announced for the first week in February, at which consignments of stock from Mrs. M. M. Clay, James Miller and others have already been received, and will at once be catalogued for sale. The day of sale is not yet settled on, but will be arranged to either precede or follow the annual sale of Capt. T. E. Moore, at "The Cedars."

EVERYBODY'S COLUMN.

CROXTON'S is the place to buy toys, caddies, notions, &c.

—"Yankee Doodle" was played in Plymouth church on Thanksgiving.

CROXTON keeps everything from the cheapest to the finest toy made.

—More than 57,000 new babies have appeared in Indiana in twelve months.

Some of the handsomest Christmas goods in the city are at Mrs. J. E. Patton's.

—A school mistress in Hopkins county carries a revolver in her pocket to school.

C. F. DILLAKE & Co. are headquarters for Holmes & Co.'s Famous English Biscuits.

—A New York man stole a stove the other day, but was too honest to take it while it was hot.

LADIES get merino underwear, kid gloves, handkerchiefs, collars and hosiery of Mrs. J. E. Patton, at cost.

—Congressman Woodward, the new member from Wisconsin, once served as a page in the House.

LADIES remember the great kid glove sale of W. H. Ingels & Co., they have reduced their \$1.50 and \$1.75 kids to \$1.10.

—All the cannon balls used by Gen. Jackson, at the battle of New Orleans, were made in Bath county.

ALDEN Evaporated Fruits, very fine, domestic dried fruits, beans and cheap at SPEARS, CHAMBERS & Co.

—Josh Billings says of society that his acquaintances would fill a cathedral, but that the pulpit would hold his friends.

W. H. INGELS & Co. have the largest assortment of Ladies and Gents Handkerchiefs for Christmas ever brought to Paris.

It is rumored that Adjutant General Castlemann will resign soon, and that Major James Wilson, of Henderson, will succeed.

THE prettiest silk handkerchiefs for Christmas presents, are in abundant stock at J. W. Davis & Co's. They are the handsomest made.

The grandmother of W. J. Kehoe, Private Secretary of Speaker Carlisle, is eighty-five years old and a widow for the seventh time.

THE celebrated speices, imported by H. F. A. Pinckney, of New York, can always be found with SPEARS, CHAMBERS & Co.

Gerald Massey has used a New York paper for making fun of his lecture. It looks as if the M in Mr. Massey's name is superfluous.

For Christmas W. H. Ingels & Co. will offer decided bargains in all classes and grades of black dress goods. Black and colored velvets, and dress trimmings.

—Mrs. Speaker Carlisle will not entertain until after New Year's.

It is impossible not to find what you want at Croxton's. He's a toy man all the year round, but when it comes to a holiday stock, no one in Kentucky can down him.

John G. Saxo, the humorous poet, is growing gradually weaker at his home in Third Place, Brooklyn. He suffers from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

LADIES remember we are bound to reduce our dress goods and silk stock before Christmas come and get bargains in these goods. W. H. INGELS & Co.

—A grand reception was broken up at General Sherman's house in St. Louis, by the announcement that one of the servants on the premises had the small-pox.

STRANGE as you would know where to find the largest stock of toys and Christmas goods in Central Kentucky? If so, take our advice and go to Joe Z. Croxton's, of this city.

Oh, the merry sleigh bells!

THANKSGIVING DELICACIES.—Pligs, dates, Malaga grapes, bananas, celery, California plums, Florida oranges, apples, pecan nuts, turkeys, cranberries, prunes, raisins, oysters, mince-meat, &c., for sale by SPEARS, CHAMBERS & Co.

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C. F. DILLAKE & Co.

RABBITS, three for 25, eggs 22½ to 25.

Mrs. S. J. TURNEY has returned from Cincinnati, where she purchased a large stock of Christmas goods, consisting of fancy notions, dolls, &c. She has also put down the price on her large stock of millinery goods and will rush them off at amazingly low figures. Be sure to call and see her before buying your holiday goods.

SEVENTY arrests were made last week at Danville, of violators of local option.

THE justly celebrated "Gold Medal Flour" is still the leader. Every barrel warranted first-class or no sale. Small packages neatly put up for special use. Make your Christmas cakes of it. Make your biscuits and rolls with it. Every housekeeper ought to try it. SPEARS, CHAMBERS & Co.

C. F. DILLAKE & Co.

—Two white girls joined the colored Baptist church at Hopkinsville, and were baptized last Sunday with fifty-seven colored converts.

You cannot do it; you cannot pass by that handsome window of J. W. Davis & Co. without losing your heart and a part of the contents of your pocket book. It is without doubt the handsomest window in town. It is filled with the richest, best and best silk handkerchiefs that are manufactured—all of which are offered at the same price which inferior goods are sold for elsewhere.

—You can't beat an Olivet dude no more than you can beat a Mayville hog. One started riding with his girl not long since, and not having the requisite cash to pass them under the pole, he hid his girl fifteen cents he could kick her. She paid the toll.—[Mt. Olivet Democrat.]

FOSTER, MOORE & Co. have the greatest variety and the nicest line of goods from which to select Christmas presents, such as toys, books in every variety, hand-made gift books, all kinds of games, fine paperettes, elegant writing desks, autograph albums, scrap books, standard foreign and American of Prose Poetry and Belles Lettres in the newest and most superb binding of cloth tree wood, calf and morocco. Sets of books, hand-made bound and beautifully illustrated. Ladies' work boxes, toilet cases, odor sets, nail sets, jewel caskets, photograph albums, mirrors, &c. Take your friends with you and give them a call and investigate for yourselves, the most complete line of Christmas presents in the City. It will delight them to show you through their stock whether you purchase or not.

A BEAUTIFUL HOME FOR SALE!

I OFFER for sale privately the farm of 100 Acres near the city of Paris, Ky., lately the home of Capt. Matt. M. Clay. The land is nearly all in grass, extends from the city limits on the southeast to Stoner creek, and is in excellent condition. The dwelling and improvements to which valuable additions have been made recently—are substantial and handsomely finished. The brick dwelling contains ten rooms, pantry, kitchen, cellar, &c. The location is healthful and attractive.

For terms, apply to G. C. Lockhart, or MINERVA A. CLAY, Executrix.

Persons having claims against the estate of Capt. M. M. Clay are requested to present them properly proven at the law office of G. C. Lockhart, Paris, Ky.

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FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
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THOMAS A. HENDRICKS.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Richard Reid, of Mt. Sterling, is a candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals, to succeed Judge Harless—subject to the action of the Democracy of the First Appellate District.

The State Educational Association will meet in Louisville December 26, 27 and 28.

A son of Senator Mahone has been appointed to a first-class Senate committee clerkship.

Nearly \$9,000 have already been subscribed toward next year's Exposition, at Louisville.

FRANK JAMES was taken to Gallatin, Mo., Friday, to answer the charge of murdering Banker Sheets, in 1899.

DOORKEEPER Wintersmith has appointed J. W. Blackburn, of Frankfort, Ky., to a position in the Folding Department of the House.

The Postmaster General has directed that the old three and six-cent stamps and stamped envelopes be received in exchange for the new issues.

The town clock at Stanford, which hasn't stopped running twice in ten years, refused to recognize the standard time, and stopped twice in twenty-four hours.

When a new ruler is desired in Anam, they do not resort to the ballot box. They simply administer a dose of cold poison to the King, and that settles the business.

At Cambridge, O., twelve saloon-keepers have been sentenced to pay fines aggregating \$4,400, with terms of imprisonment aggregating 400 days, for violation of the Scott law.

A club of fifty young men in Denver propose to introduce knee-breeches in that town, and will introduce the fashion by appearing in these abbreviated pantaloons on and after Christmas.

SENATOR ANTHONY, of Vermont, who has just entered upon his fifth term in the Senate, has been elected President pro tem. He is in very bad health and not likely to hold the place long.

THERE were 19,525 persons killed by snakes in India, during the past twelve months. It strikes us that the citizens of India do not use the preventatives of snake poison like American citizens, and that they are away behind in point of civilization.

SPEAKER CARLISLE having been interviewed by J. C. Underwood, editor of the Cincinnati News-Journal, says emphatically that he is not a candidate for Senator, and that he will not permit his name to go before the Democratic caucus a such. That settles it.

SENATOR LAPHAM has introduced a bill into the Senate conferring the right of suffrage upon all persons over the age of twenty-one years, regardless of sex. The Danville Tribune has also announced for woman's suffrage. The grand old party grabs at every straw as it goes down.

GEN. McLELLAN hopes the Democrats will make a square issue on the tariff question next fall. Gov. Seymour thinks there should be a struggle for revenue reform. Senator McDonald says that revenue reform is necessarily one of the issues of 1894. Gov. Cleveland thinks the tariff issue will be very prominent in the canvass next year, and insists that Congress shall reduce the revenues. On the other hand, Govs. Hendley, Pattison and Butler have nothing to say with regard to the tariff question.

The American Farmer.

To all new subscribers to the BOURBON NEWS who will pay us \$2 in advance, between now and the first day of February, we will give a subscription to the American Farmer (price \$1 per annum) in connection with the News for one year. We have perfected arrangements with the publishers of the American Farmer, of Fort Wayne, Ind., that enables us to offer our subscribers a first class Agricultural Magazine at the cost of the white paper on which it is printed. The American Farmer is a 16 page monthly magazine which is rapidly taking rank as one of the leading agricultural publications of the country. Each number will contain useful information for the farmer, his wife, his sons and his daughters. As it costs you nothing, suppose you try it one year. Remember, only new subscribers will receive the benefit of this offer, until the first day of February.

The thoroughbred horse presented to Gen. Grant by the Khedive of Egypt, as a gift, is a milkman, and, with the water streaming from his eyes, the milkman has brought a damage suit for \$10,000 against Gen. Grant's son Ulysses. If he gains the suit, he can then buy him a river full of water and a mountain of chalk for his customers.

The National Republican Committee has fixed Chicago as the place for, and June 3rd, 1884 as the day for putting out a Presidential candidate. The representation will be, for each State five delegates-at-large, for each Congressional district two delegates and for each Representative at-large two delegates.

Millersburg (War) Department.

At home again.

The widow Josie Pollock resides at the Five Points.

Oh Lordy, My Leg! Joe Will Miller is slowly improving.

Miss Lizzie Taylor is recovering from a severe spell of sickness.

Yes, we are to have a Christmas tree. A criminal mistake corrected, and everybody is happy.

Miss Della McClintock has returned from Illinois. She will spend Christmas in Richmond, Ky.

The Lord relieved the city council from further trouble with the bicyclists by sending prohibitory weather.

People wishing to exchange western lands for property in this place will do well to call at the Deposit Bank.

Some fellow will bombard the wigwag with rocks from the stone factory unless they are coated away pretty soon.

Only a few of the Millersburg girls follow the practice of visiting other states on prospecting tours for husbands.

It is said that one of the widows sends her bread to a poor neighbor's to be cooked, just to save the cost of fuel.

Joe Mock thinks this weather will help the overcoat business, and will take in a partner to assist during the rush.

If a peace officer gets drunk he should be "docked" for loss of time. Rainy days count just the same as any other kind.

Charlie Turner, the coon arrested for outraging Winnie Berry, was discharged because the girl swore that Charlie didn't do it.

The Shamrock oil men didn't do much good here, but they write back that Carlisle is the easiest place gulled they have ever struck.

Miss Effie Smith is recovering from the effects of a sprained ankle, and should have a notice but she objects to having her name in the papers.

There is no use abusing Anton Amb, for "jumping" the town. He was justified in doing so. He caught sight of Jake Hughes on a bicycle and became frightened.

The city gets an occasional contribution from the crap shooters. They fight on the street over the fairness of the game and are arrested for disturbing the peace.

The ladies of the Christian church will present a real toney entertainment in a short time. This is much better than presenting to the public an alleged oyster supper.

The Barton will case will not be appealed to higher courts for probation, as was supposed. Now an administrator will be appointed, and the estate will soon be settled.

The town is still flooded with pernicious half dime literature. It is a shame that the young men—so called nice young men, devour this trash with an avidity unknown to savants.

One fool drummer attempted to cut another base drummer's throat at the Johnson House not long since. Well, fool drummers are plentiful and a general throat cutting wouldn't hurt.

The Knights of Wise Men haven't received the \$1,000 from the Grand Lodge yet. They ought to appoint a committee to go down to Memphis and find out whether there is a Grand Lodge or not.

The piece of copy in this department mentioning the sudden death of Mrs. Will Smith, got lost from the copy book—hence the announcement at this late day. She had been ill but a few days, of paralysis of the bowels.

Mr. Samuel Martin, a wealthy widower in this precinct, married last week in Keokuk, Iowa, Mrs. Bettie Archer, widow of Col. Archer, and a sister of Wm., Robt., and John Tarr. The happy couple arrived home Friday night.

H. H. Hunt writes back from Florida that is so warm that he wears nothing but blouses and eats nothing but sunshine. He has found no Young Men's Christian Association, nor Methodist prayer meetings down there and still he's happy.

At least six of the young men are complaining of sore hands. All but one use a sling. Nobody knows how they got hurt—if they are hurt, or where they caught it—if that's what's the matter with them. Geiger says he got his in a street car; that's some improvement on the old way.

"B'RRR B'AR."

MILLERSBURG, Ky., Dec. 13, '83.

BOURBON NEWS.—I cannot let as novel an anniversary entertainment pass in our little town without giving the NEWS a short sketch of it. Dr. Stitt invited a few of his many friends, to his anniversary birthday supper, on the evening of the 10th inst., 7 o'clock. The NEWS cannot guess to save him the kind of supper it was to be. He invited us to a mush and milk supper—this is just what his card of invitation says "Milk and Mush Supper." what do you think of it? There were ten or fifteen of us; we were invited to the parlor as we came to the door, to a cheerful fire where we chatted and told yarns for a short time when we were invited to supper, and sure enough it was a mush and milk supper served, to which I assure you we done ample justice, and in the centre of the table was a row of delicious fruits—apples, oranges, grapes, bananas, etc., in abundance; about the time we were invited to supper his two daughters, Mrs. Turney and his single daughter Miss Jimmie and a Miss Conyers arrived from Paris, and while at supper and after, gave us fine music on the piano accompanied with the voice. The Dr. invited among his guests the Rev. I guess it was to keep the boys from getting too boisterous, but he needn't have done that, for there was nary a drop, besides the boys were not very young, at least some of them were not. Don't you think it was a novel anniversary supper? Well, I think so, but it's just like the Dr. Long life to him; may he live to see many happy birthdays.

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I am receiving direct from Baltimore FRESH OYSTERS from the old reliable house of E. B. Mallory & Co. House-keepers can depend upon getting the very best oysters and perfectly fresh.

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Farm at Private Sale.

THE JAMES H. THOMPSON FARM, SITUATED 2 1/2 miles north of this place, on the road leading to Headquarters, in Nicholas county, and containing

300 ACRES,

may be bought privately at any time between this and the 25th day of this month, but if not disposed of by that date, it will then be advertised for public sale.

The farm has on it a large and substantial two-story stone dwelling; a new barn capable of containing fifteen acres of tobacco; and other usual outbuildings; abundance of unfailing water; ample supply of fine timber, and a large orchard bearing select fruit.

The land is first quality, red soil, and nearly all of it excellent tobacco land. It will be sold in one or more tracts, if desired.

All claims against Mr. Thompson must be presented to the undersigned, legally attested, by the 20th of this month. Apply to or address

A. G. STITT, Assignee.

MILLERSBURG, Ky., Dec. 1, 1883.

JACKS FOR SALE.

I HAVE for sale five splendid Black Jacks, with white points, 3 years old, 15 1/2 hands high. They are of the best stock, and descending from Napoleon, Buena Vista and Imp. Mammoth. Two of them took the blue and red ribbons at the Paris Fair. Any one wishing to buy will please call and see them at

J. M. NROE LEER'S, Paris, Ky.

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During stoppage of Paris Mills preparatory to building one of the very best Mills in America, exclusively Roller Machinery and mill dressings with mill stones entirely, except for grinding corn. We have arranged with our Brother, Miller, to supply us with various grades of flour to run our trade during suspension. Some of our good grocery friends over in town officiously inform parties that the Paris Mills have suspended operation and we are not selling flour, such is not the fact and they well know it." Capt. E. F. Spears of Bourbon Mills and Rogers & Boston of Carlisle are furnishing us a very good fancy flour, and I have made arrangements with Robinson & Co. of Mayville to furnish us with their celebrated roller flour with the "World" cannot beat." This flour is made exclusively by full sets of roller machinery, no mill stones used in its manufacture, no half roller process like some several mills who are shipping flour to Paris conveying the idea that they make full roller flour. It is impossible to make a quality of roller flour to compete with full roller flour.

Would especially request my patrons to try this Robinson & Co. gold patent flour. Guaranteed to give perfect representation and money refunded in fact this guarantee extends to each and every brand or grade of flour we sell.

Very kindly and Ever Truly Yours, Paris, Ky. Dec. 7th, '83. WM. SHAW. [7dec-6w]

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THIS WEEK

We desire to state to the public that we keep in stock a full supply of the celebrated "ALLIGATOR" coal and wood cook stoves. The Alligator has held a prominent place in this market for more than twenty years and can be found in use in every section of the county. We are ready to offer a premium for a single instance where it has not given the very best satisfaction. We are now receiving a complete stock of all kinds of heating stoves for parlors, stores and halls, including the best base burner for hard and soft coal made. We also keep in stock a good clean supply of all goods usually found in a first-class Store and Tin Store, among which may be found the celebrated PURIFYING PUMP, and the equally celebrated MONITOR COAL OIL STOVES, &c., &c.

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